

**Draft Agenda**  
**Rockville Environment Commission**  
**Thursday, September 3, 2015**

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm  
Rockville City Hall - Diamondback Conference Room

<b>7:00</b>	<b>1. Call to Order/Introductions/Agenda Review and Revision/Approval of Meeting Minutes</b>	<i>Clark Reed, Chair</i>
<b>7:05</b>	<b>2. Forest and Tree Preservation Ordinance (FTPO)</b> Evaluation of proposed revisions: a) Reduction of fee-in-lieu for government projects from \$5 to \$1.15 per square foot. b) Incorporation of the State exemption for stormwater management/stream restoration projects. c) Simplified tree replacement requirements for individual single-family lots to align with the Zoning Ordinance. d) Modification of the 5-year warranty and maintenance period. e) Other proposed revisions identified by the Site Plan Improvement Group.	<i>Clark Reed, Chair</i>
<b>8:00</b>	<b>3. Watts Branch Watershed Assessment</b> Review and consideration for endorsement.	<i>Clark Reed, Chair</i>
<b>8:15</b>	<b>4. Commission Budget</b> Review of Committee requests and budget prioritization: - Energy - Recycling and Composting - Sustainability - Watersheds	<i>Committee Chairs</i>  <i>Clark Reed</i> <i>Lea Rosenbohm</i> <i>Alicia Hosmer</i> <i>Amanda Matheny</i>
<b>8:40</b>	<b>5. Backyard Habitats</b> Review of opportunities for Commission involvement.	<i>Alicia Hosmer</i>
<b>8:50</b>	<b>6. Environmental Management Division (EMD) Report</b> - Volunteer Appreciation Event (9/10) - Green Your Backyard Info Session (9/12) - Montgomery County Green Bank Forum (9/16) - Public Hearing on Water Quality Protection Ordinance (9/21) - Montgomery County Service Day (10/24)	<i>Erica Shingara, EMD</i>
<b>8:55</b>	<b>7. New Business/ Announcements/ Future Topics</b>	<i>All</i>
<b>9:00</b>	<b>8. Adjourn</b>	<i>Clark Reed, Chair</i>

### **General information**

- The next regular meeting of the Commission is *tentatively* scheduled for **7:00** pm on Thursday, **October 1, 2015** at **Diamondback Conference Room**, Rockville City Hall, 111 Maryland Avenue, Rockville Maryland. The public is invited to attend.
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